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EXAMINER: Chin, Paul T

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TITLE: Strap and Method for Utilizing

DATE OF RESPONSE: 01/11/2007

AMENDED RESPONSE

The Honorable Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Non-Final Office Action of January 3, 2007 having a period of response set to expire by February 3, 2007. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

The commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this amendment, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 06-2129 in the name of Gregory M. Friedlander.

In the event that an extension of time is required, or which may be required in addition to that requested in a petition or an extension of time, the Commissioner is requested to grant a petition for that extension of time which is required to make this response timely and is hereby authorized to charge any fee for such an extension of time or credit any overpayment for an extension of time to Deposit account 06-2129.

ELECTION:

The election of Figures 18 and 19, Claims 11-14 and 21-28 is confirmed.

Claims 1-10 and 15-20 are Cancelled as being drawn to a non-elected species.